MR. G. VELU PILLAI : May I know whether there is any Visha Vaidyasala in Central Travancore which is given a grant now ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : I have no information at present. I claim notice.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI : May I know, Sir, whether Government will be pleased to reconsider the case of this particular Visha Vaidyan?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : The matter will be looked into.

Karingal Water Supply.

92. *MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the scarcity of drinking water in Karingal and suburbs has been brought to their notice ; and

(*b*) whether any water supply scheme has been proposed ?

MR. I. C. CHACKO : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : May I know what has happened to the Scheme ?

MR. I. C. CHACKO : Detailed investigation is being conducted.

Reorganisation of the Excise Department.

93. *MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of temporary staff continuing as such after Mr. C. O. Madhavan's reorganisation of the Excise Department ;

(*b*) the time for which they were continuing as temporary staff ; and

(*c*) the total amount of money disbursed as pay and allowances to these officers per annum ?

MR. P. G. NARAYANAN UNNITHAN : (*a*) Of the temporary staff sanctioned during the reorganisation of 1113 the following officers are now continuing as temporary :

Inspectors	2
Clerks	3
Petty Officer	1
Peons	2

(*b*) From 1-4-1113.

(*c*) The total amount of money disbursed as pay and allowances to these officers per annum is Rs. 3,432.

Gun firing at Trivandrum.

94. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the place from where the gun is fired at 5 a. m., 12 noon and 8 p. m. daily in Trivandrum ;

(*b*) the reasons for choosing that particular place ;

(*c*) whether Government have considered the desirability of firing the gun from a more central place in the City ; and

(*d*) the total cost incurred daily for firing the gun ?

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